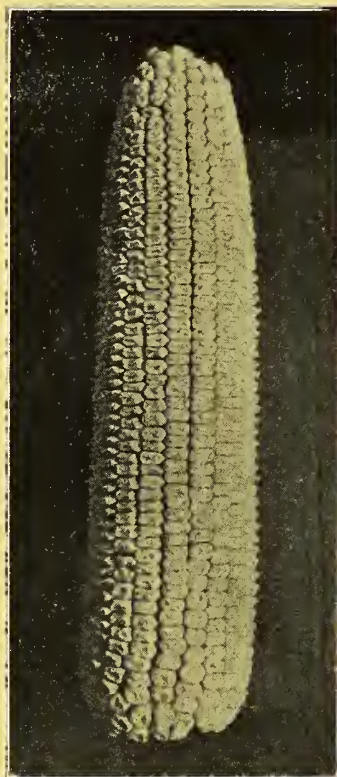


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A GRAND CHAMPION

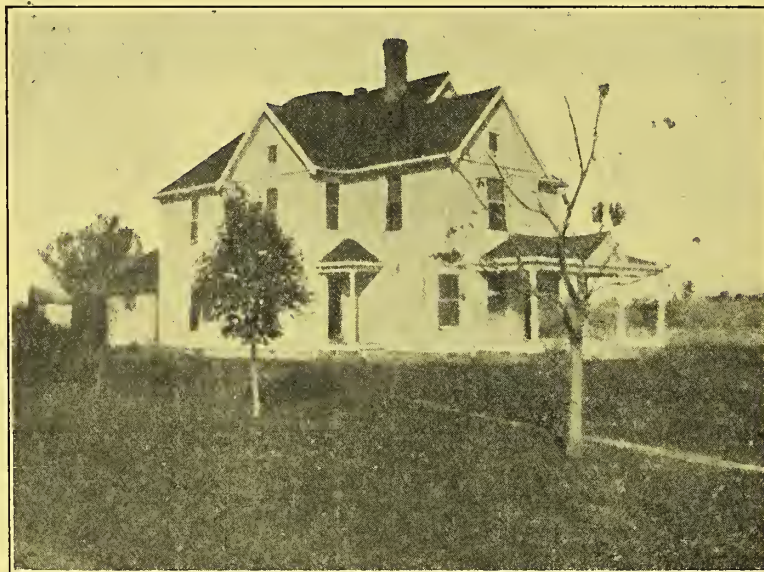


*Grand Champion Single Ear Johnson County White Dent at the
Interstate Corn Show, Whitesville, Mo., Dec. 9, 1915
Which Won \$100.00 in Gold*

JOHN A. STAINBROOK

RURAL ROUTE NO. 2

FRANKLIN, INDIANA



The Home of Johnson County White and Reid's Yellow Dent

MY MOTTO

Is to conduct my business honestly and efficiently and with such sincerity that my place of business will be known throughout the world as one of integrity, where anyone can send with perfect confidence, knowing that he will be served with painstaking care and receive full value for every dollar. Furthermore to maintain the highest standard in selection of all seed corn, since each purchase must be worthy of its high quality and productiveness.

Remembering at all times that it is a part of my business duty to give each and every order, no difference how large or small, my personal supervision and inspection in order that it may prove satisfactory.

HISTORY OF JOHNSON COUNTY WHITE

Johnson County White Dent is a highly bred white corn of large size containing a high percentage of oil and protein. It is a medium late-maturing variety requiring usually about 120 to 130 days. The ears are from 9 to 11 inches in length and $7\frac{3}{4}$ to 8 inches in circumference, containing from 18 to 22 rows. The cob is medium in size and white in color. The butts of ears are deeply rounded with medium shank. The ears are cylindrical, with well filled tips, a large per cent of tips are completely covered with grains. The kernels are somewhat wedge shaped, very deep, and moderately rough. The stalks grow from 9 to 11 feet in height. The rooting is extensive, affording great facilities for gathering plant food. Has very heavy foliage which also makes it one of the best varieties of silage corn on the market, and makes it a wonderful drouth resisting corn.

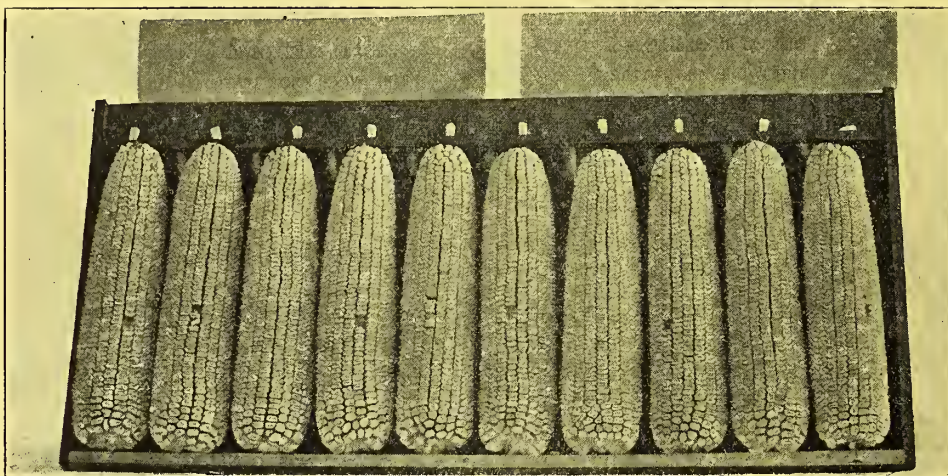
THE MOST WONDERFUL PRODUCING AND FINEST LOOKING CORN IN THE WORLD



A GRAND CHAMPION WINNER OF 1914

This sample won the Grand Champion Sweepstakes prize at Terre Haute, Ind., which was \$100 in gold, and Grand Champion Sweepstakes at Crawfordsville, Ind., which was \$16 in money and sweepstakes ribbon. These shows were open to the world and my sample won against 500 samples of corn from all over the corn belt.

This sample of corn was a Grand Champion winner in the show at Lafayette, Ind., also at the National Show at Dallas, Texas, and was pronounced by expert judges to be the best sample of corn ever shown. This sample won first in section which was \$16; sweepstakes in section which was a silver medal; sweepstakes in class which was Johnson County Trophy valued at \$500, and grand sweepstakes over all which was a John Deere Corn Planter. It also won sweepstakes in State Class at Dallas, Texas, which was \$25, and grand sweepstakes over all the rest of the states which was a \$1,000.00 Silver Trophy. I also won second in the bushel show at Dallas, Texas, with a show of 25 bushels from all of the different states, winning a \$125 buggy.

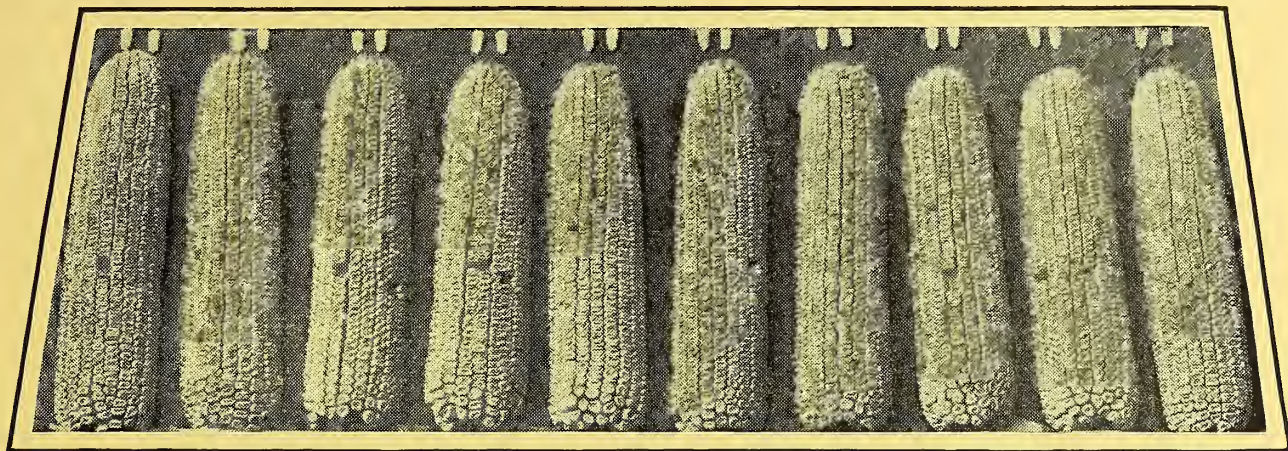


A GRAND CHAMPION WINNER, 1916

This sample of corn won Grand Sweepstakes at Crawfordsville, Indana, open to the world, and Grand Champion Sweepstakes at our state show at Lafayette, Indiana, the prize being \$7.00 in money, \$500 Silver Trophy and Gold Medal.

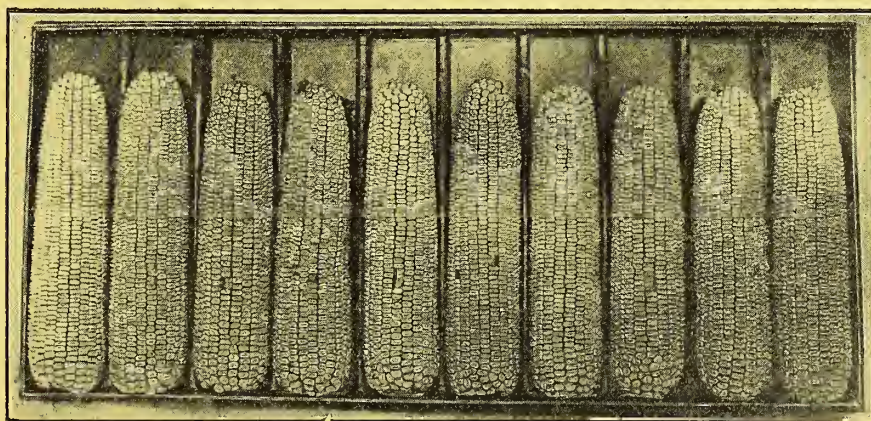
"JOHNSON COUNTY WHITE DENT"—CORN THAT MADE JOHNSON COUNTY, INDIANA, FAMOUS

THIS SAMPLE OF CORN WAS CONSIDERED THE BEST EVER SHOWN



This sample of corn won first in section, first in class and grand sweepstakes in State in 1912, which won me \$6.00 in money, the Johnson County Trophy, Silver Medal and a John Deere Corn Planter.

TEN MOST PERFECT EARS



These are the ten most perfect ears shown at Indiana State Fair, 1912.

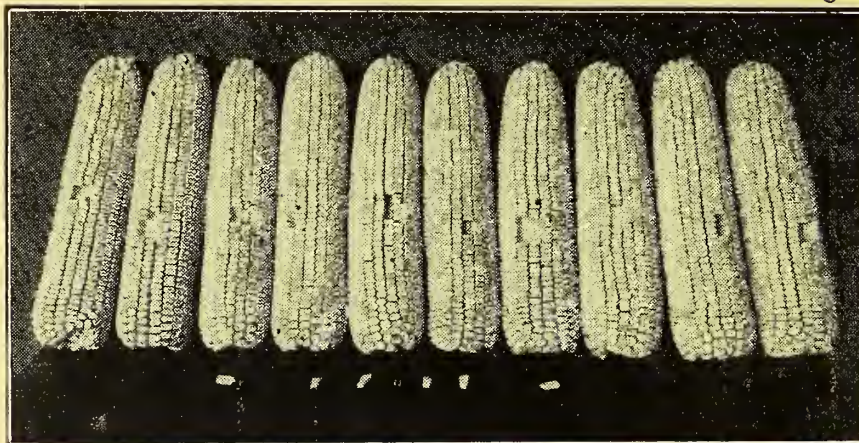
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A SWEEPSTAKES SAMPLE



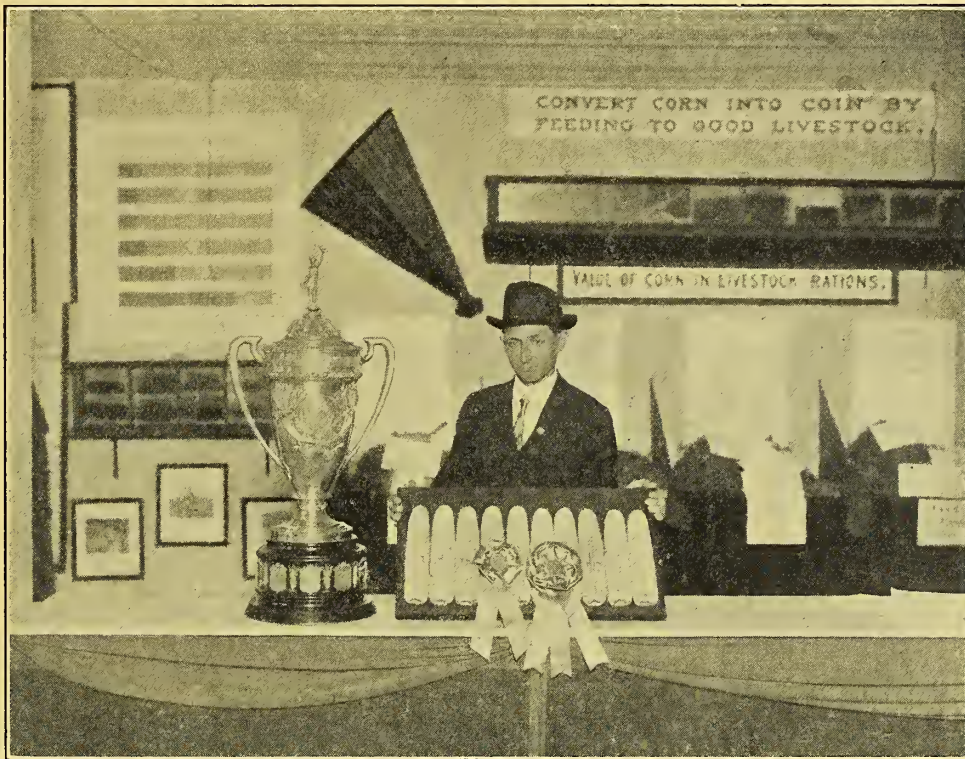
This sample won Grand Sweepstakes at Terre Haute, Indiana, in 1912. Open to the world. Won me \$75 in cash.

GRAND CHAMPION WINNER, 1909



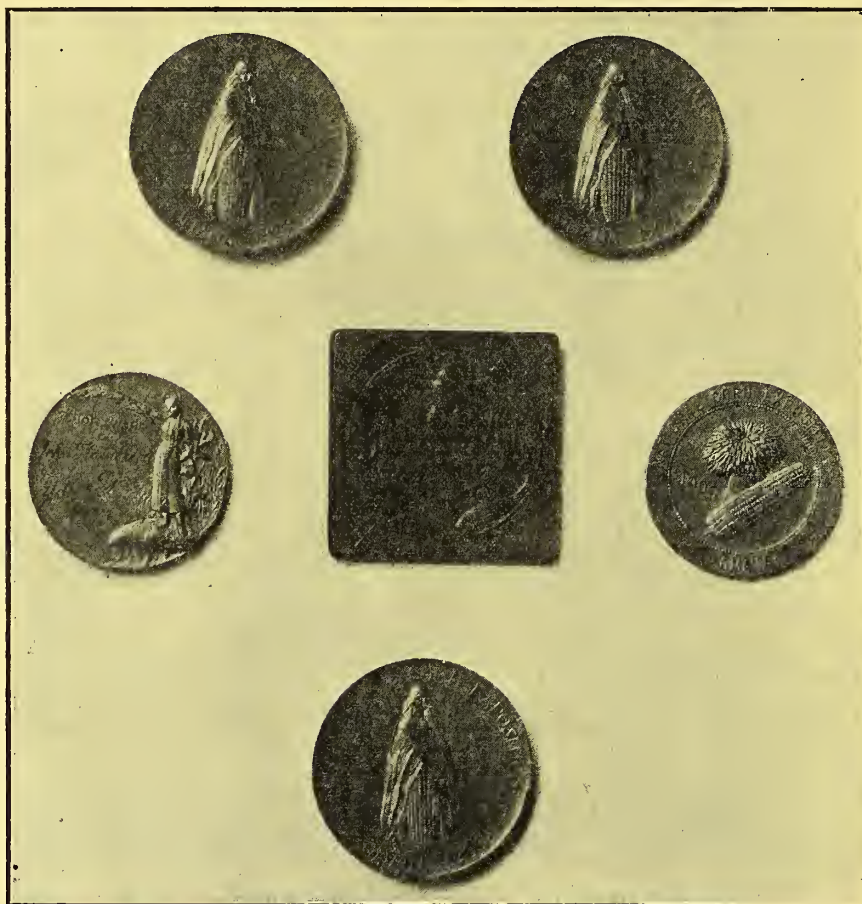
This ten ears of Johnson County White Dent won Grand Champion Sweepstakes at National Show at Omaha, Nebraska, in 1909, won \$25 in money and a buggy valued at \$125.

SWEEPSTAKES TEXAS SAMPLE



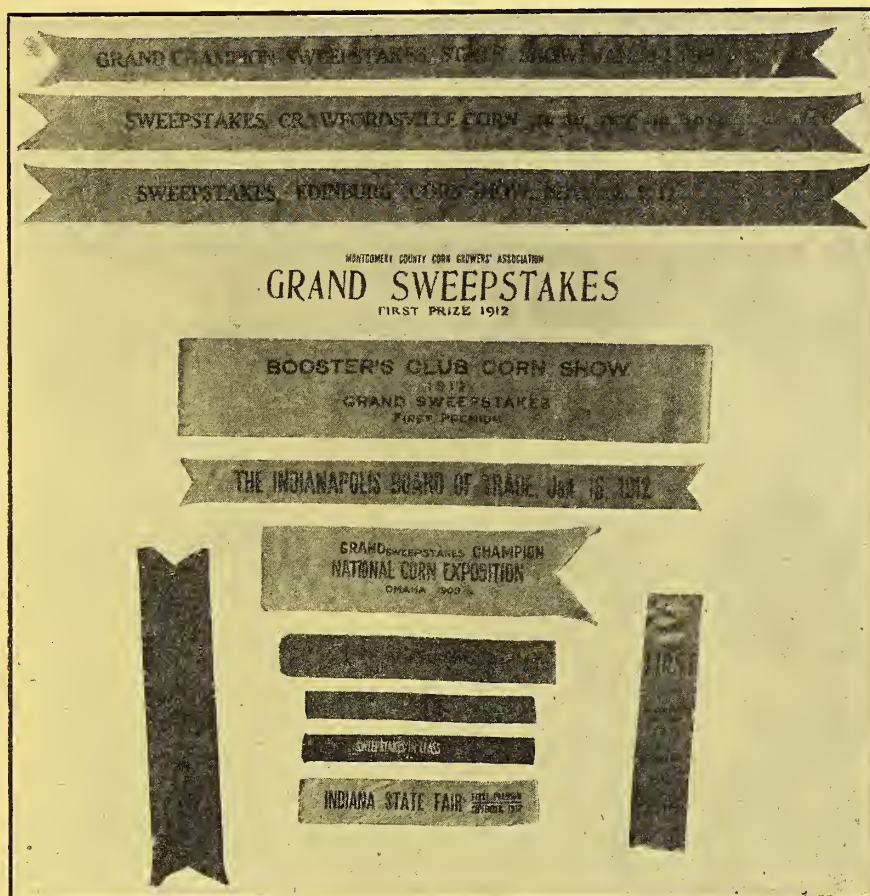
This picture was taken at Dallas, Texas, showing the picture of the winner, the corn and the trophy in the Indiana booth.

THESE ARE A FEW OF THE MEDALS I HAVE WON WITH JOHNSON CO. WHITE.



Johnson County White Dent has won more sweepstakes in the last 14 years at National and State Shows than all other varieties combined. In this time Johnson County has furnished the corn belt with more seed corn than any other county in the United States.

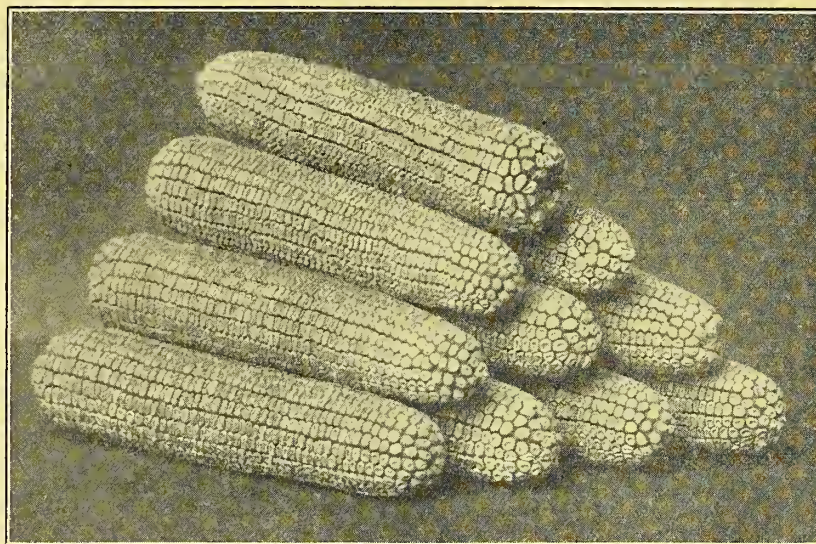
A FEW OF THE GRAND SWEEPSTAKES RIBBONS I HAVE WON IN RECENT YEARS.



From the fact that I have been breeding seed corn for the past 14 years, sparing neither time nor money, makes me able to promise my customers an unusually high-bred and high-yielding seed corn. It pays just as well to plant good seed corn as it does to breed good stock. Unless you are planting a good, pure-bred corn you are losing money, for it does not cost any more to grow corn from good seed than from poor seed of inferior type and quality. "As a man soweth so shall he reap," is a wise parable.

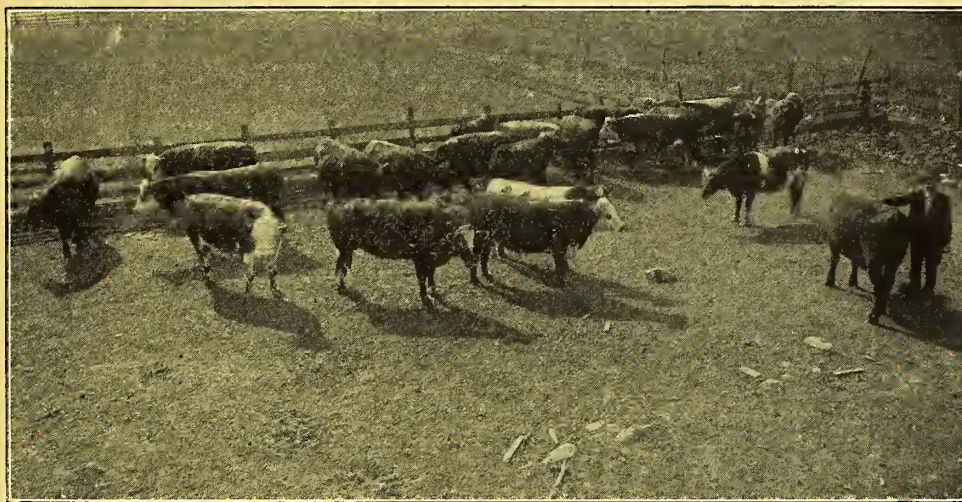
There have been more prizes won by persons who have used my seed than from any other seed in the state in the last few years, which goes to show that it is bred up to almost perfection.

REID'S YELLOW DENT



The Reid's Yellow Dent I offer for sale is without a doubt one of the best ever produced. It has been bred for years to attain its present high standard. It is good in size, length and circumference, with deep grains, small cob, uniform rows, well developed tips and butts. It does not require as long a time to mature as the Johnson County White Dent, therefore it is well adapted for any corn state in the Union. It has a high feeding value, is solid, uniform, weighs well and is a winner wherever planted and properly cultivated.

"JOHNSON COUNTY WHITE DENT"—CORN THAT MADE JOHNSON COUNTY, INDIANA, FAMOUS



Many have asked me about the feeding quality of my corn. Judge for yourself.



These return to the soil the proper plant food for corn.



J. A. Stainbrook and son, Lewis, gathering and selecting seed corn in October. This corn yields from 75 to 110 bushels per acre in good season on good land if properly cultivated.

SELECTION OF SEED CORN.

The selection of seed corn is an art possessed by only a few. My many years of untiring work in growing and selecting proper seed has proven of inestimable value to me. The man or firm buying of me at the present time will profit by my experience and judgment.

All my seed is selected early in the fall, as soon as the corn is dry. The corn is placed on proper drying racks in the seed house. No corn is allowed to go in the seed house that shows poor germination. All doubtful or inferior quality corn is placed in separate pens to be fed to stock cattle.

JOHN STAINBROOK

FRANKLIN, IND., R. D. 2

Date.....

Please ship the following order by Freight Express.....

Postoffice..... County..... State..... R. F. D.....

My R. R. Station..... County.....

Quantity	Article	Per bu. Price
	Say whether Ear or Shelled Corn	

State whether corn is wanted shelled or in ear.

Be sure to state how you want the corn shipped, by freight or express.

Each order must be accompanied by remittance.

Be sure to write name and address plainly

SIGN HERE

Name

PRICE LIST

Extra select seed corn.....\$5.00 per bu.

Good ear corn.....\$3.00 per bu.

Shelled corn.....\$2.50 per bu.

Reid's Yellow Dent same price.

Special price on carload lots.

The shelled corn is carefully selected, nubbed, shelled and graded and first-class in every respect. Boxes, crates, barrels and bags free.



WE CAN GROW GOOD WHEAT.



This field yielded thirty-five bushels to the acre.

A FEW TESTIMONIALS

It would require a very large book to give you all of the testimonials from those to whom I have sold. I will print just a few.

I guarantee my corn to give satisfaction to all of my customers in every respect. You can have ten days to inspect the seed and if not satisfied send it back and I will refund money.

Sullivan, Ind., March 6, 1914.

J. A. Stainbrook,

Dear Sir:—The order of corn came through in fine shape and the quality I think is hard to beat. Shows to me that you take great pains in selecting seed corn and try to deal honestly. I will recommend you to my neighbors and think I can sell some corn for you soon. If I should will you please send me a sample of your Reid's Yellow Dent? Just put it in with one of the orders. I thank you very much.

Yours truly, LOUIS STORY.

Bleda, Missouri, January 2, 1913.

Mr. John A. Stainbrook.

Dear Sir:—I thought I would take a little time and write you a few lines about the seed corn we bought of you. It sure looks fine. We had a dry spell for a long time but last week we had a good rain so our corn is looking fine now. We are well pleased with the corn we got from you.

I thought I would ask you about wheat. We have a fine crop of wheat this year, but I would like to make a change of seed. We have had the Red Polling Wheat here for about thirty years. I would like to get about ten bushels. I would trade or buy. If you have same wheat a change would make it better. So if you will do so all it would cost either of us would be the freight.

Yours truly, JOHN MIER.

New London, Iowa, Dec. 9, 1913.

Mr. J. A. Stainbrook.

Dear Sir:—The box of corn came in good shape and it was just what I wanted. I would like to get some more just like it if you could send it. What would you price me that quality at in 5 and 10 bushel lots or more?

You may send me two bushels now anyhow by freight as near like the one just sent as you can.

Yours truly, E. L. REED.

Danville, Ind., March 5, 1914.

Mr. Stainbrook:—

Your corn came and I am very well satisfied with it. I have a very good plat of ground where I shall plant the white corn. (it is bottom) hoping to compete with the producer at Purdue in 1915.

Thanking you for the extra good white ear, I think it will be a prize winner in this county.

Yours truly, W. S. GIBBS.

French Lick, Indiana, May 4, 1914.

Mr. J. A. Stainbrook, Franklin, Ind.

Dear Sir:—We received your corn a few days ago and want to congratulate you on it being very fine corn. Would like about four barrels more.

Yours very truly,
FRENCH LICK SPRINGS HOTEL CO.

Greenfield, Indiana, April 18, 1914.

John A. Stainbrook:—

Please send me one bushel of your best seed corn. Received the other corn and think it is fine. I have misplaced your catalogue of prices, but I believe it was five dollars, so I will enclose that much for one bushel of shelled corn. Yours truly,

DANIEL HUTCHINSON.

Sabina, Ohio, February 18, 1915.

John A. Stainbrook, Franklin, Ind.

Dear Sir:—The Johnson County White seed corn I received of you last spring more than pleased me. It yielded 90 bushels of corn per acre, in spite of a very dry season. With ten ears of it I won sweepstakes at our county corn show, and 8th prize at our state show. I also won three prizes on yellow corn at the state show, but would like to try some other strain of Reid's corn as the strain I am growing at present is hardly large enough to suit me. If you have any Reid's Yellow Dent for sale please let me know, or if not, let me know of some one in your neighborhood who has a good quality for sale. How does the Reid's corn of that section compare with the Johnson County White as to size and length of growing season? Hoping to hear from you soon, I am

Respectfully yours, JOHN GLEASON.

Tishomingo, Okla., Nov. 25, 1915.

Mr. J. A. Stainbrook, Franklin, Ind.,

Dear Sir:—I just thought you would like to hear of the continued success I am having with the corn I purchased of you two years ago last spring. This fall at our county fair we had a red hot corn show. Probably the best in the state. I won first on 50 ears of any corn, (sweepstakes); first on 10 ears of white, and my boy as a member of our county boys' corn club, won first at the state fair where a club of ten boys from each county competed. My boy easily had the best ten ears, but a boy with a ten ear exhibit of yellow dent got first and my boy first, second and third in the 70-ear exhibit. My corn won first, second and third in the 70-ear exhibit and I won first in the ten-ear exhibit. My boy, I think, is going to be returned the winner as the champion of the state. He produced 101¾ bushels on a measured acre at a cost of \$16.85.

Where will the National Corn Show be held this next time? I think I will attend. I have an ear of corn I may show.

With best wishes, I am, yours very truly,

B. H. COLBERT.

North Vernon, Ind., April 26, 1912.

Mr. J. A. Stainbrook, Franklin, Ind.,

Dear Sir:—Received corn in good shape, opened one barrel. I am much pleased with the corn. Thank you.
Yours truly, CHAS. JUENGST.

"JOHNSON COUNTY WHITE DENT"—CORN THAT I

GENERAL STANDARD OF PERFEC

For the benefit of my customers I will give you
Indiana:

A perfect ear of corn should be cylindrical or r
of the ear should be about three-fourths of its length.
less than 16 nor more than 22 in number. The kernel
sixteenths of an inch wide by five-eighths of an inch long
to the inch in the row.

OFFICIAL CORN SCORE CARD FOR I.

Name of Variety.....Table N.

Name of Scorer.....Sample No. .

POINTS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Uniformity of Exhibit 10								
2. Shape of Ears 10								
3. Length of Ears 10								
4. Color of Grain and Cob 10								
5. Tips of Ears 5								
6. Butts of Ears 5								
7. Kernel— a Shape 10								
b Indentation 5								
c Uniformity 10								
8. Seed Condition 15								
9. Proportion of Grain to Cob 10								
Total 100								

REMARKS AND REASONS FOR CUTS

RT OF MY WINNINGS

position in 1904.

tion in 1907, won \$50.00 in Class D.

in 1908, won \$125.00 in money and two Gold Medals.

, 1909, won \$250 in cash.

Show in 1911, there was no money offered, but won second
ent behind the sample that won First and Sweepstakes.

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1916, etc.

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